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## **National Resource Centers**

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National Resource Centers (NRCs) are created by grants from the Department of Health and Human Services, where the Children's Bureau and the Administration for Children and Families are administered (the federal branches of child welfare). The NRCs are a wonderful resource for us, and can be found at the following Web sites:

Administration for Children and Families Children's Bureau http://www.acf.dhhs.gov/programs/cb/

NRC for Foster Care and Permanency Planning Hunter College School of Social Work New York http://www.hunter.cuny.edu/socwork/nrcfcpp

NRC for Organizational Improvement Edmund S. Muskie School of Public Service University of Southern Maine http://www.muskie.usm.maine.edu/helpkids

NRC for Special Needs Adoption Spaulding for Children http://www.spaulding.org/

NRC for Youth Development University of Oklahoma http://www.nrcys.ou.edu/nrcyd.htm

NRC on Child Maltreatment Child Welfare Institute http://www.gocwi.org

NRC on Family-Centered Practice Learning Systems Group http://www.esilsg.org

National Child Welfare Resource Center on Legal and Judicial Issues American Bar Association Center on Children and the Law Washington, D.C. http://www.abanet.org/child

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National Abandoned Infants Assistance Resource Center UC Berkeley School of Social Welfare <a href="http://socrates.berkeley.edu/~aiarc/">http://socrates.berkeley.edu/~aiarc/</a>

NRC for Community-Based Family Resource and Support Programs Chapel Hill, N.C. http://www.frca.org/friends.htm

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